

Plant Materials High Priority Needs for 2006-2010 Long Range Plan

It is time to update the Bismarck PMC Long Range Plan. Please rank the needs in the 2001-2005 Long Range Plan that are important for inclusion in the 2006-2010 Long Range Plan. Rank the topics from **1-3, with 1 being the highest priority and 3 being the lowest priority. You are limited to three number 1's.** On the second page, please list and rank any additional topics and species. Forms can be emailed to nancy.jensen@nd.usda.gov or mailed to the Bismarck Plant Materials Center at the address on the back. Please return by **February 15, 2006.**

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(1-3)

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Native Praire Ecosystems Restoration

- identify additional species
- develop propagation, enhancement, establishment, and management technology
- develop sources of plant materials

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Wetland and Riparian Plant Materials

- identify additional species
- develop propagation, enhancement, establishment, and management technology

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Streambank and Lakeshore Stabilization

- identify suitable species
- develop establishment and management technology

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Tree and Shrub Related Technology

- increase species diversity in new plantings
- windbreak improvement and renovation

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Warm-Season Grass Promotion and Development

- propagation, establishment, and management
- document and promote forage quality
- promote big bluestem as high quality warm-season pasture

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Saline/Alkaline Tolerant Plant Materials

- identify woody/herbaceous species and develop establishment technology

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Filter Strips/Nutrient Management

- document methods and amounts of nutrient uptake
- promote effective plants for waste management systems

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Urban Conservation

- document effective species/varieties
- implement effective establishment and management technology
- document environmental benefits
- promote backyard conservation

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Alternative Income Plants

- promote agroforestry
- promote potential high income species
- propagation, establishment, and management

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Information and Education

- identify and promote perennial plants for wildlife food plots
- remarket old plant releases
- identify specific outreach opportunities

Additional Priorities

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Additional Species

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Agency/Organization:

Location: